

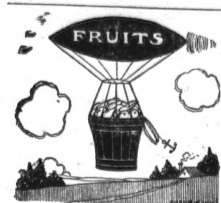
COLEMAN

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We shall thank our readers for all items of interest which they may be able to furnish us for publication. Phone 84. F.O. Box 75

Read the Blairmore Cafe's ad.

Mrs. D. J. Hill was at Frank on Tuesday.

F. Coles of Olds came to Coleman on Saturday.

N. B. Finn returned from Calgary on Sunday.

Edward Holmes spent Tuesday at Lethbridge.

A. W. Russell was up from Macleod on Tuesday.

D. F. Hughes of Crows Nest was in town yesterday.

J. B. Wilkie came up from Lethbridge on Thursday.

Wm. Lovatt came in from Burton City, B. C., on Saturday.

P. J. Simmons of Calgary was doing business in town this week.

Mrs. (Rev.) T. M. Murray visited friends at Lile on Monday.

Thomas Edey came to Coleman from Lethbridge yesterday.

James Burrows and wife of Hillcrest visited Coleman on Tuesday.

BORN.—On 11th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Morrison, a son.

C. Hisecks, the "41" man, came up from Pincher Creek on Tuesday.

Dr. Westwood returned from a short visit to Fernie on Wednesday.

Byron R. Sharp and wife of Spokane, Wash., were in town on Sunday.

Note the change of reduced passage rates in the C.P.R. ad. elsewhere in this issue.

E. Disney keeps chloride of lime suitable for sanitary and disinfecting purposes.

J. F. Armstrong, real estate agent of Michel, was doing business in town yesterday.

Rev. A. E. H. Bott of Fishburn conducted Divine services in the C. of E. church here on Sunday last.

William Chalmers who has been sick at the hospital for several days is now able to get around again.

O. E. S. Whiteside went to Macleod last night to attend a meeting of the Western Coal Operators association.

To put it mild, the I. O. O. F. convention which will be held at Pincher Creek, on July 21st, will be a huge affair.

Frank Partridge returned to Coleman on Tuesday and has taken his old position as day operator at the C.P.R. station.

Mrs. J. F. Povah, returned to town on Tuesday night last by the town, after spending the last seven months at Spokane, Wash.

MARRIED.—At the home of W. G. Smith, Bellevue, on 16 inst., by the Rev. T. M. Murray, James McQueen to Miss Carrie Bunce, both of Bellevue.

It is true that the general appearance of Coleman is rapidly improving, but if we had more buildings like that of E. Disney's Coleman would look still better.

The Coleman Lodge of I. O. O. F. has just issued some very nice and neat checks, printed in green and red ink. The Odd Fellows are to be congratulated. It is hardly necessary to say that the work was done at this office.

We are not at all surprised at passengers going west when on reaching this town and after seeing the many new buildings, enquire if this is Fernie building up after the fire. Of course Fernie is somewhat larger than Coleman.

The Coleman baseball club will give two entertainments in the opera house here next week on Monday and Tuesday nights. A dance will be given at the close of the entertainment on Tuesday night. See bills for fuller announcement.

"Paradise," formerly known as the "C. P. H. Mess" was broken up on the 15th. The cook, Tom Glin, goes to China and Alex. McLean goes back to his ranch while the other boys are distributed amongst the different hotels. It was named "paradise" because there were no women there.

The Stikre Situation Is

Still Unchanged-- Cannot Agree

As we go to press the strike remains unsettled. The conciliation board made a majority and minority finding at a sitting of the said board at Fernie on Tuesday last. Rev. H. R. Grant and F. H. Sherman made a finding at the meeting held on Tuesday last which excludes the closed shop principle and discrimination clauses and recommended the old agreement. The operators' representative, Colin Macleod, made a report which differed from that of Grant and Sherman's but in what particular is not known. The board expects to meet at Fernie again tomorrow when it is hoped that they will arrive at a finding which will be satisfactory to all the members.

A meeting of the Western Coal Operators association is being held at Macleod today. O. E. S. Whiteside and H. N. Galer have gone down from Coleman to attend that meeting.

WILL HOLD ANNUAL SERVICE ON JUNE 27

The Coleman lodge of I. O. O. F. and Victoria Rebekah lodge will hold their annual decoration service on Sunday, June 27th.

The members accompanied by the Coleman brass band will parade to the cemetery where a service will be held and the graves of the departed members decorated with flowers.

Additional Coleman Locals

Russell Ferguson came down from Fernie last night.

Harry Sellers has men engaged painting the exterior of the Coleman hotel.

The gentlemen of Blairmore will give an informal dance in the opera house here on Friday evening next.

H. N. Galer, who was in town yesterday, is attending a meeting of the Western Coal Operators association which is being held at Macleod today.

E. Disney expects to have his new and attractive residence ready for occupying about the last of this month when Mrs. Disney and family will arrive.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Johnston returned to town on Sunday last after a short visit to Cranbrook. They are now living in their own house which was recently occupied by J. McNeill.

Brown's moving pictures at the opera house Wednesday and Thursday nights were well attended and enjoyed. On Thursday night a dance was given after the picture show and many danced to the strains of some well rendered music.

The heavy shower of rain on yesterday afternoon brought disappointment to those who were anxious to see the partial eclipse of the sun. If it had not rained between 5 p.m. and 6 p.m. yesterday the sun would have been an interesting thing to look at as the eclipse was an almost total one and came very near being a reproduction of the total eclipse in 1899, but it was more like the partial eclipse about the latter part of August, 1905.

Outs are now retailing at \$1.70 per sack which contains about three bushels and people around here think that that is an exorbitant price while the people in the east are now paying from 90c. to \$1.00 per bushel for oats. Now, didn't we say that things were cheaper in the west than what they were in the east. Hay is \$20 to \$22 a ton just now.

THE COLEMAN

BASEBALL TEAM

Reorganized—Plays First League Game With Blairmore and Is Badly Beaten—15-7

A large number of baseball enthusiasts met in the Morrison building on Saturday evening last for the purpose of re-organizing the Coleman baseball club. B. M. Stitt was elected to the chair.

It was moved, seconded and carried that a baseball club under the auspices of the Coleman Athletic Association be organized.

The following officers were elected: James McNeill, president; Alex. Morrison, vice-president; B. M. Stitt, sec.-treas.; A. McGinnis, captain; H. Ellis, manager; H. Higgins, H. Sellers, Alex. Morrison, finance committee.

H. Sellers informed those present that upwards of two hundred dollars had been collected for the use of the league. This was very gratifying and all present were well pleased with the keen interest manifested by those who were approached for financial help. Following is the subscription list: Mutt & McNeill, \$25.00; Alex. Morrison, O. E. S. Whiteside and Lloyd A. Manly, \$10.00 each; Coleman Mercantile, A. J. White, P. Burns & Co., H. A. Parks, F. G. Graham, Alex. Cameron, W. L. Oulmette, D. J. Hill, H. Villeneuve, R. B. Buchanan, J. F. Povah and the Coleman Miner, \$5.00 each; C. P. Willmott and R. Sherwood, \$2.50 each; A. J. Blais, Louis Schorn, R. Hoggarth, Malcolm Morrison, W. S. Roserth, W. L. Bridgeford, E. Morino, Wm. Evans, Alex. Easton and T. B. Smith, \$2.00 each; H. S. John Solus, Foo Goocoy, W. T. Oswin, W. Thompson, W. G. Wilson, Wm. Haley and Joseph Choy, \$1.00 each; Yai Lee, 50c.

The Coleman team has been offered the league by the Lethbridge Brewing Co., to be awarded to the team winning the most games.

The teams included in this league are Blairmore, Hillcrest and Coleman.

The first game was played at Coleman Wednesday afternoon between the home and Blairmore teams. The game which was to commence at 4 p.m. sharp did not commence until an hour later, this was caused by the late arrival of the Blairmore team. Many spectators were present.

Rooters for both sides were also well represented and excitement from time to time ran very high. B. M. Stitt acted as referee.

Now for the result: We pause to disclose such a horrible affair, painful though our duty may be it must be done. It is enough to make one go away back and sit down and ponder on. But we are looking forward to a great resurrection on Wednesday next when the two teams will play at Blairmore. The score, however, resulted in Blairmore scoring 15 goals and Coleman 7. The score—

BLAIRMORE A B R H O A E
Rous, 3b 5 2 3 1 0 0
Meekin, ss 5 4 5 0 0 0
Ingham, rf 4 2 2 0 0 0
Clemson, cf 4 0 1 0 0 0
Wickeween, lb 4 1 1 0 0 0
Hansen, c 4 2 0 0 0 0
Middleton, cf 0 0 0 0 0 0
Livingston, p 4 3 3 4 0 0
Lewis, 2b 4 1 2 1 2 0
34 15 10 22 0 0

Struck out by Livingston—5

COLEMAN A B R H O A E
Cameron, cf 3 1 1 2 0 0
Ellis, p 4 1 1 1 0 0
Macleod, lb 4 1 2 2 0 0
Stevens, 3b 4 0 2 3 0 0
Nightingale, 2b 5 1 2 2 0 0
Higgins, ss 5 0 0 0 0 0
W. McGinnis, rf 5 2 0 2 0 0
Sellers, lf 4 1 1 0 0 0
A. McGinnis, c 4 0 2 2 0 0
38 7 11 15 0 0

Struck out by Ellis—13

Blairmore played a good fast game while some of our own players who are new at the game played very slowly. P. Burns & Co's man, who showed signs of the fattening quality of their pork and beef, was the biggest rooster on the field and, of course, he was entitled to that position as he made the biggest score. Ingham was disqualified and another man took his place. The pork and beef man made a big squeal in the 7th inning when he hit himself out. He said that the ball did not hit him after he had struck it, but the referee thought otherwise. However, he was not satisfied with the referee's decision but said that he

Alex. Morrison is Obligated

to Enlarge His Building

Alex. Morrison, who has recently bought over the entire business of Morrison & Clayton's has found business so good as to require larger accommodation for pool and billiard players.

To meet this requirement, an addition, 25x25, is now being added to the south end of his building by A. Harrison.

In this new addition Mr. Morrison will install two more tables, one of which will be an English billiard table.

The proprietor will also have a barber shop in the front end of the building. This shop will be fitted up very nicely and will be strictly first class. The barber shop will be separated from the pool and billiard room by a plate glass partition.

Mr. Morrison expects to have those improvements effected before the last of this month.

With the proposed changes effected a decided improvement will be made for which Mr. Morrison deserves credit.

COLEMAN COUNCIL

STRIKES SAND

That the Coleman council is in luck can not be disputed by any one.

A few days ago the town council put men at work digging a cess pool for the new fire hall and before the men had gone below the surface they struck, to their great satisfaction, a sand pit which contained some of the best sand possible for masonry work.

The councilors when on learning this were agreeably surprised as this sand can be used for the cement work on the fire hall and also be a help to the school board in the building of the new school house.

This sand went to a depth of about twenty feet and besides paying for the labor in digging it will leave a small surplus for the council.

If this had not been discovered sand to use on the fire hall as well as the school house would have to be carted some distance and even then the quality would not be near as good as that discovered near the fire hall.

About twenty loads of this high grade sand have been taken out, some has been dumped near the old school while more has been left near the fire hall to use with the plaster.

D. J. Hill's plumbers are busy now laying pipes for the new fire hall. Other operations on the building will immediately follow.

SOME DAY

Some day will end the weary road, some day will drop the heavy load, and rest beneath the sunset tree, and wait to cross the silent sea. And then we'll take a look back on some of the things we've done, and wonder why we used to pine, and fill the air with moanings shrill, o'er every picaresqueish ill. Some day, across the fields of space, we'll look behind and try to trace the zigzag journey that we made across this world of light and shade, and wonder why we didn't take the straightest path that we could make. Some day, perhaps, when we're at rest, among the Islands of the Blest, we'll give a thought to that dead day, when we pursued our devious way, and wonder why we funned and fought, and all the kindly things forgot. Some day we'll know that Love is light, and where it lives there is no night.

WALT MASON.

would leave it for the COLEMAN MINER to decide. As a representative of this paper was standing near when this happened and saw the ball strike the batter after he had batted it, it is an easy matter for us to decide. Mr. Meekin, you were out.

Many of those who played for Blairmore were not residents of that town while every one who played for Coleman was a resident of Coleman. Our best pitcher was out of town and therefore could not be here to play. Archie McGinnis, the Coleman catcher, was not by any means well and went on the field against the doctor's orders but in spite of this he did good work.

Our players lack practice. But we hope that they will make a better showing when they play with the Blairmore team at the latter place on Wednesday next.

WILL ENLARGE

THE FIRE HALL

A Busy Time at the Council Chamber Last Night— Beautify Coleman

The town council met in the Graham block on Thursday (yesterday) evening. All members and secretary-treasurer were present. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

The board of works committee reported that the road leading to the hill had been graded and second street had also been put in repair since last meeting.

The board of works committee reported that cess pool and sewage pipes had been laid for the fire hall. This being laid across a bed of sand from which a large quantity of sand was taken. This will be used with the plaster for the new fire hall and eleven loads have been taken to the old school house to be used on the new building.

The secretary was asked to credit the council with the amount of sand drawn to the school house. The council expects to dispose of this sand to the contractor who builds the school house. This same committee reported that the stones had been removed from Main and several other important streets.

The secretary was instructed to write A. P. McDonald requesting him to remove a house owned by him which occupies part of Dunsmuir ave. and First street. This house is in block 13, lots 9 and 10. This step is taken to make room for the building of the proposed bridge across the river east of town to connect Main street with the government road.

The following accounts were dealt with: H. Higgins for work at fire hall, \$5.00; Oulmette & Wright, for sundries, \$2.00; Spry & Knowles, for blacksmithing, \$12.50; Dr. Westwood, for professional services, \$12.00, and Coleman Hardware, for shovels, picks etc., \$14.50. Councillor Graham moved and councillor McDonald seconded that the accounts read be paid—carried.

Councillors McDonald and Graham moved and seconded that rate of assessment for the town be fixed at 8 mills on the dollars—carried.

Councillor Cameron moved and councillor Graham seconded that plans and specifications be prepared for improving 30 ft. and also the whole of Fourth street—carried. This matter was referred to the board of works.

A communication from the department of public works, Edmonton, regarding the building of the proposed fire hall was read and ordered to be filed.

The department of public works, Edmonton, has authorized the council of the village of Coleman on behalf of the said village to incur a debt of \$2,000 to be expended on the fire hall and to be fully repaid within ten years from date of contracting the said debt and the monies payable in each year on the said debt shall be a first charge on the taxes collected in the village during the year. The sum so authorized shall be repaid in equal annual sums and proper debenture or debentures shall be signed by the secretary-treasurer and chairman. This was satisfactory to the council and steps were immediately taken to advertise for tenders and have the building erected as soon as possible.

A communication from the International Coal & Coke Co., Ltd., regarding their offer to build sidewalk on Victoria Avenue, was read by the secretary and approved of by the council.

A petition signed by Edward Milley and others, praying for the council to have electric lights extended to their part of the town, was read and ordered to be filed.

The secretary was instructed to write the Alberta government in connection with having the rock bluff at the west end of the town removed. Meeting adjourned.

Rev. James Sargent will conduct Baptist service in the Oddfellows' hall, Coleman, on Sunday at 11 a.m.

LOST

On Monday last, between Blairmore and McLaren's saw mill, a Stop Cook for a water pump. Information regarding same will be thankfully received at the

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TENDERS

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Friday, June 25th for the erection of an addition to the fire hall, Coleman. Plans and specifications may be seen at Mr. F.G. Graham's. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ALEX. CAMERON,
Chairman of Coleman Council.

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DENUNCIATION OF CORRUPTION

Before the Presbyterian Assembly at Hamilton, Ontario, a few days ago, the Rev. Dr. Pringle handled the Canadian politicians without gloves.

In speaking of political corruption the reverend doctor scored the administration of the Yukon, denouncing bribery and corruption which have been the "stock in trade" during the elections held in the far north.

As an instance of debauching the electorate Dr. Pringle stated that there was one fishery inspector for every twenty five of population and in Cariboo and Pugwosh wharves have been started before the last two elections but as soon as the votes were counted the construction of the wharves ceased.

In speaking of the west the Rev. Dr. touched on the huge timber steals and fishery leases about which so much was heard during the last election.

Sir Frederick Borden, one of Sir Wilfrid's right hand men, also came in for a few well deserved words. The reverend gentleman said that Sir Frederick's name was a synonym for lust and that his presence at the council table of the nation was a disgrace to a civilized people.

In concluding, the speaker said, what had Judge Cassel's report proved? The judge said that graft was prevalent and could only be stopped by the awakening of the public conscience.

The Dr. urged upon his fellow minister to be up and doing and not allow this disgraceful state of affairs to continue without denouncing it with all their power until Canada was freed of bribery and corruption and the men who practice it.

It is a pity that Canada has not got more of such fearless men as the Rev. Dr. Pringle. If we had and the proper penalties were handed out to our present day rulers the jail accommodation would be in adequate. However, the people should be willing to provide the necessary accommodation for the relief it would bring to the country at large.

EDITORIAL NOTES

If you can't boost this town don't knock it.

Coleman's bright future might well be envied by many older and, at present, larger towns.

Coleman will shortly become a second Batte with the population running into the tens of thousands.

Ostriches stick their heads in the sand when pursued. Some politicians would like to do the same, but pursuers like the Rev. Dr. Pringle are armed with a sharp stick.

Information regarding the whereabouts of C. M. O'Brien, member of the provincial parliament for this constituency, will be thankfully received by his descending followers.

The high water did not do much damage after all. Of course the Alberta Government knew there would be no flood when they refused assistance in keeping the Old Man where he belongs.

Well! well! and would you believe it. The estate of the late C. Bomey of Burma is to be wound up. Only five years behind time but it might be worse. "What's the matter with the Alberta Government."

The Calgary Herald says: Two vessels recently reached Victoria from the orient. One had 949 Chinese on board, while the other carried half a million dollars' worth of silk. Some people think the latter cargo was much more valuable than the shipload of celestials.

What's the matter with driving a line between the North and the South and forming the government of southern Alberta. We would bet that those fellows at Edmonton wouldn't know a thing about it for months because they are so busy with the North.

SNAKE IN THE BEER

Richmond, Va., June 18.—Joseph M. Staten, bridge inspector for the C. & O. railway, who has just returned from an inspection tour in West Virginia, tells of the remarkable death of eight Italian laborers on the Piney Creek branch of the road, near the town of Raleigh, following a wild debauch with a barrel of beer. According to Staten, the men purchased and set up the barrel of beer in their shack in the mountains and proceeded to drink their fill. Later all eight were discovered lying about on the beds and on the floor dead.

Due to the fact that a considerable portion of the beer was still left in the barrel, the conclusion was reached that over indulgence had not caused the death of the men. The barrel was taken into the yard and the beer allowed to escape through the bung hole. None of the beverage was allowed to be drunk for fear it had been poisoned. A large rattlesnake was found in the bottom of the barrel after the beer had been drawn off. It is presumed that the snake in its death agony injected enough of its poison into the beer to kill the men who drank it.

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Happenings at Blairmore

Friday will be pay day in town.

Thomas Cyr is erecting a new house.

H. E. Lyon went to Calgary on Thursday.

Joe Moreno is erecting a new house near the river.

The Mission hall received a coat of paint this week.

Nothing slow about the Blairmore baseball team, eh?

Blairmore's "hoodoo" has departed. Who was it anyway?

Tom Davidson and Fred Adams left for British Columbia this week.

Frank E. Hinds purchased thirteen lots in the Pelletier addition, this week.

A. B. Hames took over the Mercantile stock this week and is doing a rushing business.

Mrs. Jos. Emmerson of Coleman spent a few days here this week the guest of Mrs. J. A. McDonald.

Some mean cuss tore down and carried away the new revolving sign of Gilroy & Rose the barbers.

A. E. Nichols, the contractor has been kept very busy lately superintending the building of several dwellings in town.

A dance will be given by the young men of Blairmore in the school hall within the next ten days. Announcements later.

Toot, toot, toot. The first whistle at the Pelletier brick yards was heard Wednesday and heard many times too. The plant was tested Wednesday and everything found in first class working order. Bricks will be turned out this week. Mr. Pelletier is to be congratulated on his enterprise. The Pelletier bricks will make Blairmore famous.

Notice to the Public

I take this opportunity of informing the residents of the Pass that I am prepared to collect accounts, rents, etc. Anything in this line entrusted to me will receive prompt attention. Commissioner for taking affidavits. House and shacks to rent.

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FACTS ABOUT GREAT

LETHBRIDGE BRIDGE

The following comment on the great C. P. R. bridge at Lethbridge is made by last Friday's Winnipeg Free Press:—The greatest steel structure in the world, commonly known as the eighth wonder of the world.

Height at highest point 312 feet or almost two and one-half times the height of the Union bank building, which is 130 feet high.

Length one mile and 47 feet. Erected on 67 steel towers, three of which are founded on the rock at the bottom of the Old Man river.

Twenty-four million pounds of steel used in construction. Contract was let at the beginning of 1907 to the Canadian Bridge company.

After two years and a half of strenuous work on the part of a small army of men it is announced this morning that the last of the steel towers on the mammoth bridge of the Lethbridge-Macleod cut-off on the C. P. R. will be completed next week. The extent of this immense undertaking may be gauged from the figures given above, and its opening, which will take place as soon as the deck is on, will be one of the most important events which has taken place in the western history of the C.P.R. The entire work should be completed early in August.

The mighty structure was erected at a cost of \$1,600,000, and is a triumph of engineering skill. Obstacles which have seemed almost insuperable have been overcome, and the achievement of this important project by the C.P.R. will be a unique and splendid advertisement both for the company and for western Canada. For years owing to the deep ravine in the bed of the Old Man river the C. P. R. has been obliged to make a wide detour in order to get into Lethbridge, and the new line will make a cut-off of five or six miles. When it is considered that all freight and passenger trains will be saved this distance in mileage it will be seen what an immense saving in time and expense will be brought about.

Lethbridge being a mining centre, the freight traffic from that point has been exceedingly large. On the old line there are some 25 to 30 trestles, and at times there have been costly delays when any of these burned out.

The announcement that this huge structure is almost completed comes with especial significance just now, owing to the announcement made Wednesday by William Whyte, second vice-president of the C. P. R. He stated that the two spiral tunnels, near the Kicking Horse river, east of Field, would be completed toward the end of July, and that the double tracking between Winnipeg and Fort William would also be completed about the same time.

The next two months will, therefore, see the culmination of a series of improvements which have cost many millions, and which will be of overwhelming advantage to the main systems of the C. P. R. in the west.

The grade, which will be lowered to 2.2 per cent, by the tunnels now being completed in the Rockies, will not materially affect the time of passenger or freight trains, but will mean an immense saving in fuel, and relieve the heavy strain on rolling stock which has been very expensive in the form of repairs.

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RAISED BIG FAMILY

Delmar, Del., June 17.—One of the
best exponents of the anti-race suicide
is John W. Guy, who is the father of

thirty children, twenty sons and ten
daughters, of whom there are twenty-
one living, his eldest child, a son, being
53 years old, his youngest, a daughter
of two years. Mr. Guy is a farmer
and resides at Melfa station, a few
miles south of here. He was 75 years
of age on April 6 last. In 1855 he was
married to Mary Ann Rayfield, a
farmer's daughter, both being in their
twenty-second year. To this union
seven children were born. On
September 12, 1898, he was joined in
wedlock to Margaret Elizabeth Ayers,
21 years of age. To this union 18
children were born. His last marriage
was to Lola Crockett, a girl of sixteen
years, the bridegroom then being in
his sixty-fifth year. To this union
five children have thus far been born.

One of Mr. Guy's sons by his first
marriage married a sister of his pre-
sent wife, and a daughter by his
second wife married a brother of his
present wife. Despite the fact that
Mr. Guy has raised 21 children, he has
only 22 grandchildren and 3 great
grandchildren, while 18 of his own
children are married.